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## STOLEN C LOCATED TWO LIBRARIES DIVORCED

# COUNCIL FORMALLY SEVERS CONNECTIONS WITH COUNTY

With Judge Fee Advising, Council Makes Answer to Action of Court in Terminating Contract Arbitrarily; Withdraws Support and Will Leave County to Pay Bills.

## FEE OFFERS STURGIS FUND TO CITY TO MAKE FIGHT

No new developments in the Hbrary situation occurred today, though both sides are consulting their attorneys and discussing further steps. City Attorney Fee, who was given authority to proceed as he saw fit to protect the city library, stated he had not decided upon measures yet. Nothing has yet been decided as to whether or not the city library will be moved out of the new building. An adjourned meeting of the library board will be held this evening. County Judge Marsh had nothing to say this morning when he learned of the developments of last night but stated that the side which he represents has placed its case in the hands of Raley & Raley and intimated he and his associates would fight for their contentions.

Apparently there are to be two li braries in Pendleton.

The city council last evening, act-building. ing upon a petition from the majority of the Pendleton library board and at action for damages be brought against the suggestion of Judge James A. Fee. the county or against Miss Nason. formally divorced the city library and he guaranteed that it would be from the county library, annulled the prosecuted successfully.

Sturgis Fund in Fight. ised not less than \$2500 annually for the maintenance of the library, "pass- nouncement of Judge Fee was

at the meeting of the council hast privileged to offer the accrued earn-evening and addressed that body for ings of the original rund, amounting nearly an hour upon library history. to something over \$12,000 as an aid law and various phases of the unhap- in protecting the city library. py controversy which has wrought up

SCHOOL BOARD HAS MEETING

TO SANCTION IMPROVEMENTS

trustee of the Sturgis fund and b cause his wife is a member of the li-brary fund, Judge Fee has taken active interest in the library affairs and proved himself very familiar with the

whole controversy,

Denounces Librarian. Judge Fee denounced the county court vehemently for repudiating its solemn contract with the library board and for what he characterized as an attempt to take over the Pendleton city library without the consent of the people of Pendleton He, moreover delivered an invective against the present librarian, putting upon her the responsibility of the present library urmoil and charging her with repeatedly assuming authority that was not vested in her. As an example of her from the Pendleton public library board, she had, under cover of darkness and by way of back streets, mov-

For this Judge Fee suggested that

Sturgis Fund in Fight. Perhaps the most startling the the buck" of paying the bills in statement that he would place the the buck" of paying the bills in statement that he would place the the attorneys representing Thompson to determine where the fire was lonnection with the new central entire amount in the Sturgle endow. The store took fire from an entire amount in the sturgle endow. ed the buck" of paying the bills in statement that he would place the building to the county and instructed ment fund over and above \$5990, at the city attorney to take such other the city attorney to take such other steps as might be necessary for the light that might be necessary to protection of the Pendleton public library. As trustee of the Sturgis fund he stated brary. Judge Fee, at the request of Mayor that he construed the interests of that Best and as custodian of the Sturgis fund to be identical with the interests library endowment fund, was present of the city library and therefore felt

#### ROUND-UP ISSUES TO GO BROADCAST

Hundreds of orders coming to the East Oregonian for the Round-U; souvenir editions show that this city and its world famous show will de rive much publicity from the fact lo-cal people are sending copies to their

friends and relatives. In point of interest the Round-Up mbers will surpass all former eforts by the paper. The editions will a larger than ever before and the itlustrative features will be better. In fact the Round-Up editions will constitute a splendid gift to be sent those to whom you wish to make known th tory of Pendleton and the Round-

There is probability that this year the supply of special editions will be chausted before the demand is fully met. Those desiring papers should allies placing the Teutons on the de-place their orders at once. The price fensive. He said: "Roumania's inis 25 cents for the series.

## THOMPSON FOUND

murder of Mrs. Helen Jennings and Fred Ristman, jitney driver, near Tualatin, in Washington county, on the night of May 15,

The jury was out just 34 minutes alleged arbitrary actions, he delared that, without any authority whatever that, without any authority whatever dict at 8:19 p. m. Thompson had no comment to make on the finding. He faces imprisonment for the term of his natural life, the greatest possible punishment for murder in Oregon

> The jurymen were George W. Beal, E. I. Abbott, A. J. Roy, Henry P. Davis of the French restaurant who Roberts, Paul Beck, O. C. Jackson, was notified of the biaze by a Jap. Daniel Deaville, Allen Dilley, W. E. To get into the building the front

L J. Rushlow, No notice of appeal was made by tives before taking such action.

## TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Replies to Request of City Attorney is due to their discretion that there That All Poles Now Maintained on was not a heavy water damage. Main Street Be Removed.

ney J. Alger Fee for the city that all to tate the damage to the stock. poles now maintained on Main street be removed, a report from the office of the district commercial superintendent of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company was filed with the Telegraph Company was filed with the city recorder last night. The report is is follows:

"In connection with this matter and in way of information, I will state that we have under way and have been engaged for the past year in engineering preparing a complete study for the reconstruction of our telephone plant in the city of Penan hour for concrete work. For all The charge in this case is not to be of the Oregon-Washington railroad M. P. Boynton. In the gubernatorial

> street from Railroad avenue north. "The development on the south side of the O.-W. railroad tracks is not sufficient to warrant underground construction, for which reason we desire to retain the present pole lead on the main street from Railroad avenue south across the tracks, and we are hopeful that the city council will be favorable to the continuation of our poles along this portion of the main street for the reason stated.

"We shall be pleased to discuss the entire matter with the city council

will be entirely satisfactory to the

# WHEAT MARKET

the East Oregonian)-Range of prices jetty. today:

Open, High. Low. Close

PORTLAND, Orc., Sept. 14.—(Spe- PORTLAND, Sept. 14.—Pat- cial)—Club, \$1.29; bluestem \$1.33 b. Pent flour jumped twenty cents Liverpool.

Liverpool. Sept. 14. — Wheat—

b barrel today. The new price is \$
\$\$16.60 for standard grades. Fur-

#### The Studebaker car which Leslie ruff, Joe Montana and Clarence Da-LASTING PEACE NEAR is drove here from California Tueslay has been identified as one stoler from Bridges & Jacobs motor company of Sacramento on the night of Sep-tember 2. The car was taken when new and had a deater's license. The boos changed the license to one DECLARES M. BRIAND

French Premier Addresses Chamber Dalles by Sheriff Chrisman to ans-wer a charge of burglary committed at the house of Clifford Moe of Wrenof Deputies Reviewing Developments Since Last Se

PARIS, Sept. 14.—The chamber of Deputies passed the new war loan without a dissenting vote. This is an unprecedented proceeding.

(BY HENRY WOOD.) PARIS. Sept. 14.—Premier Briand idressed the chamber of deputies. He reviewed developments since the last session. He declared a lasting, durable peace was assured by the tervention and Italy's declaration of war against Germany completed the allies' solidarity. It completely reduces the central powers to the de GUILTY OF MURDER tative in military operations. The Slayer of Mrs. Helen Jennings and expeditionary force and conserving Ristman is Convicted.

Allies intervened in Greece for the double purpose of protecting their the early hour of 5 by the noise of the Pendieton boosters leaving for Heppensed Ristman is Convicted.

Greek interests. They won't permit ner to enjoy a day at the Morrow county fair. Eight cars had been county for this morning to make the

### SAYRES STORE FIRE DAMAGED

Fire which broke out in the base-

ent of Sayres' store this morning about 1:30 did considerable damage. alty. This penalty is definitely fixed by Most of the damage to his stock of ladies' apparel was caused by smoke. The alarm was turned in by Fred was notified of the blaze by a Jap. To get into the building the front Pegg. M. C. Larsen, John Loftis and door glass was broken by the fire-the door glass was broken by the fire-men. Because of the dense cloud of men. Because of the dense cloud of and arrive in Heppner about 8. Resmoke in the store it was impossible turning they will leave Heppner at electric iron which had been left on in the altering room. Mr. Sayres is EGRAPH COMPANY high in his praise of Fire Chief Rin-DISCUSSES NEW PLANS gold and the department for the work done last night. He declares that it

The store is closed today pending an adjustment by the insurance com-Following the request of City Attor- panies. It is impossible at this time

Lowden Win Gubernstorial Race.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.-Incomplete returns indicated that Lorimer only wish 1'd won.'

swamped his preacher opponent, Rev an hour for concrete work. For all the charge of the putracks and which provides for the race Governor Dunne and Colonel materials taken home by the pupils in made against the parents of the putracks and which provides for the race Governor Dunne and Colonel elimination of all poles on Main Frank O. Lowden were easy winners.

#### N. Y. STRIKERS IN MONSTER PARADE

rallway employes and sympathizers paraded the heart of Manhattan pro-BRITISH CAPTURE OF testing against the Interborough and allied traction companies. The silent parade plans were changed. Bands march. A mass meeting was held in marine merchaniman Bremen and it follows: Union Square. Samuel Gompers was is anchored in the river Tyne "We feel that when our proposed the chief speaker. Other orators plans for the reconstruction of our were Hugh Frayne, William Fitzger-plant are completed that conditions ald and Representative Meyer of Lon-

ASTORIA, Sept. 14.—The steam two hundred thousand and Austria a State Game Warden Carl D. Shoe- announced that German-Bulgarian at- schooner O. M. Clark was beached on hundred thousand men to the Ball maker, State Biologist Wm. L. Fin- tacks were repulsed east of Silistra Pancake Point near West Point in the kans. Columbia river, It was leaking badly ? CHICAGO, Sept. 14 .- (Special to as a result of hitting the Astoria south

#### FLOUR JUMPS 20c.

Spot No. 1 Manitoba, 14s 8 %r (\$2.14 \$ ther advances expected.

# which they had taken off a Ford au-tomobile. They will be taken to The

Delegates Say They Have Desperate Attempt Made No Intention of Unfairly TaxingForeign Property

clothes which were found in the car on the road in a suit case. It is believed that the men are the same as those who robbed a Portland grocery store last Saturday night where canned goods were taken.

tham last Sunday. The machine through which the young men were

arrested here was identified by the make of tires. Two of the boys claim

to be 19 years of age and the other is 24. They assert they found their

#### **BOOSTERS OFF** FOR HEPPNER

Peace abiding Pendleton citizens Thompson was found guilty on the lasting durable peace after allied victirity ballot by a jury tonight of the tory."

> Heppner each year sends a large del-egation to the Round-Up and this year reports are that the largest attend-ance ever can be hoped for from Morrow county.

Among the men who have signified their intention of making the trip are, Dave Nelson, W. N. Matlock, J. V. Tallman, J. H. Sturgis, Nesmith Ankeny, W. E. Brock Judge G. W. Phelps, Fred Bloch, Frank Curl, W L. Phompson and William Dunn. The automobiles will leave the city some place on Main street about o'clock according to present plans about 5 and arrive home about

angements and W. N. Matlock is lining up the machines here today.

#### TAFT AND ROOT TO TOUR IN OCTOBER

Root will start Hughes speaking tours The speakers bureau is preparing their itinerarys. Taft wrote the Hughes college league: "There are a multiplicity of reasons why Wilson should be removed. We should have a consistent, intelligible policy of constructive, courageous nature, to meet the very critical issues in connec tion with the war's end." Wilcox an-James R. Mann, Republican Leader nounced that the republicans expect-Swamps Rev. Boynton-Dunne and ed to carry North Carolina, Daniels home state.

NAVAL BOARD WILL

Hearing Will Probably Close Tonight -Private Owned Steel Plants Not For Sale.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.-The general naval board hearing applica- Humphrey 3288. tions from a hundred and twenty five cities wanting the government armor plate plant decided to visit several of the prospective sities. They intend to close the present hearing tonight tomorrow. Private owned steel plants are not offering their industries for sale. Representatives om the Mid-vale plant attended the hearing as than ever before. The early adjourn-

#### News Summary

Two libraries are divorced, Sayres store damaged by fire. Stolen car located here,

General. Mexican-American commission discusses taxes. Germans rush fresh troops to Somme

to Check Fochs Smash Against City of Perrone

#### ACTIVE BALKAN ADVANCE CONTINUES VERY LOBBYISTS

Many Letters Are Received by Conference-Arrival of Morgan's Yacht in Harbor Gives Rise to Report That Financier Intends to Take Part in Loan Negotiations.

NEW LONDON, Sept. 14.-The Mexican-American commissioners discussed taxes today. The Mexicans stated they had no intention to unfairly tax foreign owned property. General Bliss advised the Amerians regarding withdrawal and border patrol reduction. The commis

intend to base their withdrawal planon his suggestions. A lobbyist group was active around commission headquarters. Many letters protesting and suggesting have been received. Morgan's yacht Corsair is in the harbor. Its arrival The roads are in good condition and the fair is reported to be the best Morrow county has ever produced.

Hennous many the fair is reported to be the best participate in financial negotiations. It was unconfirmed.

Agree That Maine Result Should Rouse Party Throughout Nation-See Victory in Utah and Washing

ASBURY PARK, Sept. 14 .- Presi at dent Wilson conferred with Burleson 8 McAdoo\_and Tumulty. They discuss clock.

Joe Tallman is chairman of arThey agreed the Maine result should arouse democrats throughout the na tion. Washington state and Utah leaders predicted democratic victories there. Nation-wide reports indicated the democrats are abandoning their apathy and starting to fight,

# NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Republican POINDEXTER WINS BY

2016 precincts give Poindexter eighty five thousand and Humphrey seventy four thousand. McBride led Hartley by over ten thousand in eighteen hun-

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Roosevelt telegraphed Poindexter: "Heartiest congratulations on your great victory. VISIT PROSPECTIVE congratulations on your great victory.

ARMOR PLATE SITES This and Johnson's success in California and the Maine results are certainly good omens."

> TACOMA, Sept. 14.-First choice senatorial votes of 118 of 131 Tacoma precincts gave Poindexter 5965 and

#### PROMINENT DIGNITARIES TO BE AT ROUND-UP

There will be more prominent dig-NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Striking spectators. They did not participate, ment of congress insures the attendonce of both senators and the three fensive was halted. Large British representatives from Oregon. These forces suffered heavily in attempting BREMEN AGAIN REPORTED men had all accepted the Round-Up to advance near Seres. The British directors' invitation to be present BALVESTON, Sept. 14 .- A British providing congress adjourned in time. and a fife and drum corps marched merchantman captain declared the Governor Withycombe will be here. No cars were operated on the line of British had captured the German sub. and this makes the big list about as

Governor Wtihycombe, State Treasarer T. B. Kay, Secretary of State Ben Olcott, Superintendent of Public In-BIG BALKAN OFFENSIVE struction J. A. Churchill, Attorney Teuton western front counters were General Brown, all members of the partially successful and all Franco ROME, Sept. 14.—It is reported the state fish and game commission, Ma. British attacks last night were re-Kaiser's war conference is planning a fron Jack of Pendleton, C. F. Stone, pulsed. The deadlock continues on great Balkan offensive. Tentative Klaunath Falls. P. M. Warren, Port, the Russian front and southeastern plans necessitate Germany sending land, and I. N. Fleischner, Portland; Roumania. The Russian war office ey, Senator Chamberlain, Senator fortress. thur and Hawley.

Lane. Congressmen Sinnott. McAr-Two boxes in the grand stand have 4 DIE IN SALVATION box usually occupied by the governor immediately west of the judges stand and the box immediately back of it. The entertainment of these men has been turned over to Dr. W. D. Mc-Nary of the Eastern Oregon Hospital and Marion Jack of Pendle-

When a sculptor makes a cast he fishes for fame.

Serbians Take Bulgarian Trenches Between Vovel and Vetrenik-Heights West of Hill 1500, Near Ostrovo Lake Curried-Adva Guards Reach Solkes.

BERLIN, Sept. 14 .- It is announced the fourth Greek army corps, stationed at Kavalia, has surrendered to the Germans. The Teutons permitted the Greeks to retain their arms and full standing as neutrals. They will be transported to Germany and enjoy German hospitality until the allied invaders are driven from Greece. The announcement officially confirmed the rumors that the Bulgarians had captured Kavia. It is also stated the Germans gained the counter attacking on the Somme front last night. Allied attacks between Ginchy

Allied attacks between Ginchy and Somme were repulsed.

The statement said the fourth Greek army corps fell behind the left Bulgarian wing during the Bulgarian Macedonian advance. The allies planned to force these troops to fight on their side or suffer the same fate as the eleventh Greek division at Salonik, The allied authorities arbitrary action checked free communicaaction checked free commu tion with Athens. The con er of the fourth corps at Kabala, faithful to King Constantis remembering Greece's neutral attitude, was forced by famine and disease to ask the German commander on September 12 to protect his brave troops and provide lodging and food.

LONDON, Sept. 14.-Sir Douglas Haig reported the British had ad-vanced north of Ginchy and joined the French surrounding Combles. The British raided Souchez trenches taking prisoners.

Paris announced the Germans rushed Verdun troops to the Somme emash against Peronne. Fresh German divisions led several night attacks northwest of Peronne, French fire enfiladed one German company west of Chaulnes. It was annihilated, Several assaults were reported on the

Vaux-Chapitre front.
The Balkan advance continued. It is announced the Serbians captured Bulgarian trenches between Kovil and Vetrenik and progressed toward Kaltmatchalon. The Serbians carried the heights west of hill fifteen hundred northwest of Ostrovo lake. Advance guards reached Solkes Malkanidy,

Peronne Almost Surrounded. The French war office declared that French artillery had formed a ring of fire three quarters of the distance around Peronne. The city is almost entirely isolated. Some battiefield dispatches said Foch's advance forty eight hours had placed all Peron-ne roads under French artillery fire. Incessant streams of shellfire are pounding on three sides. The Germans are rushing supplies into the city at night along the eastern road.

Macedonian Offensive Halted. BERLIN, Sept. 14.—Sofia dispatch-

es declared the allies Macedonian ofare retreating. French and Italian at tacks were repeatedly requised. The Serbians are unable to withstand the Bulgarian counters. Mackenzen's operations in southeastern Roumania are satisfactory.

# ARMY HOME BLAZE

DETROIT, Sept. 11.—The Salvation Army industrial home here burned, Four men were killed. Two broke their less by Jumping from windows, Seventy five escaped.

#### the high school and grades was voted. This system was recommended at the meeting of the Inland Empire educational system two years ago in Spokane at which E. L. Smith of the Pendleton board, was present. The ground back of the high school was ordered to be harrowed and plac-ed in shape for athletics. G. W. Phelps was appointed as a committee of one to look after the repair-

from the principal's office.

ing and plumbing in the different So that the high school yard may no longer be the cove of the lover it was voted to have a small light burn-

partment there will be a 100 per cent

charge made. The telephone in Miss

Butler's room will be removed, Here-

after there will be only one phone in

the building and there will be no con-

nections with the different rooms

A system of separate accounts for

high school building each night.

The proposition of fitting up the of changing its policy respecting Chi. city school superintendent and the ladies lyceum committee. During the Round-Up it was voted to keep open the records and buildings to the visthe grounds and buildings to the vis-

iters for their convenience,

The contract for furnishing lumber for the manual training department was awarded to B. L. Burroughs bid of \$344.25. George O Baer

The city school board held an ad- nishing the hardware for the departjourned meeting last night. It was ment woted to have R. E. Chloupek, head | The proposition of furnishing paper of the manual training department free of charge to grade school chil- dieton. During the year 1915 grade and construct a cement side- dren was referred to the budget comcompleted work which covered the
walk and curbing on Cottonwood mittee. The matter of installing fire complete reconstruction of the telewalk and curbing on Cottonwood mittee. The matter of installing fire complete reconstruction of the tele-street along side of the high school ladders was referred to the budget phone plant in the section north of He said "I admit my defeat. It was committee. Superintendent A. T. the Umatilla river and now have in the fortune of the game. I have noth-It was voted to pay all boys in the Park was requested to report on an preparation an estimate in the amamploy of Mr. Chloupek on non-enultable adjustment in the matter ount of \$15,000 to cover the comschool days, twenty cents an hour for of the cost of instruction of non-plete reconstruction in the section carjenter work and twenty-five cents resident pupils in the stade schools, south of the Umatilia river and north

## **ASSURANCES SENT** TO U. S. BY JAPAI

Statement Declares Imperial Govern-ment Has No Intention of Interfering With Chinese Open Door.

WASHINGTON, Sept. state department made public the text or its representatives at some future of Japan's written assurances regard-date, if desired of Japan's written assurances regarding the Chinese open door policy. The statement assures America that Japan does not intend to interfere.

A portion of the statement follows: The imperial government desires to city council." assure the American government that the new convention is not designed to ing on each of the porches of the repeal or modify the Japanese-Russian convention. The imperial governgirls rest room was referred to the of changing its policy respecting Chicity school superintendent and the

painted and the walls of the forge and the high school where needed were ordered plastered.

| Close | Fairs similarly assured the American | Sept. \$1.50 \( \frac{1}{2} \) \$1.46 \( \frac{1}{2} \) \$1.48 \( \frac{1}{2} \) | \$1.48 \( \frac{1}{2} \) | \$1.49 \( \frac{1}{2} \) | \$1.4

GOTHAM IN PILE UP NEW YORK, Sept. 14,-Five street hardware company with a bid of \$48.- cars with a strikebreaking crew piled per bu.); No. 1, 14s 7 ½ d; No. 3, 14s and was awarded the contract for fur- up on a grade. Nine were injured. 5d; No. 2 red western winter, 14s 7d.

FIVE STREET CARS OF

# James R. Mann, republican leader

SCHOONER O. M. CLARK
BEACHED NEAR ASTORIA STEEL